

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE


In re Application of: §
 RICHARD J. CURTICE ET AL. § Group Art Unit: **3676**
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Serial No.: **10/800,157** §
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Title: **"APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR** §
 SEALING VOIDS IN A SUBTERRANEAN § Atty. Docket No: **HES 2004-IP-013436U1**
 FORMATION" §

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 TO
FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED MAY 3, 2007

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed on May 3, 2007 (the "Office Action"),

Applicants submit this Response.

- **Listing of Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper; and
- **Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.